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Re: Application Serial No.: 10/010,280
F&F LLP Docket No.: 0180163

From: Lori Lapidario, Paralegal

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Message:

Enclosed please find the Amendment and Response to Final Office Action of November 29, 2002. Please note that we have enclosed the postcard stamped by the USPTO on February 19, 2003 which is when the Amendment and Response to Final Office Action that we filed on February 11, 2003 was received by the PTO.

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AMENDMENT COVER SHEETIN RE APPLICATION OF: Ogle, et al.SERIAL NO.: 10/010,280 FILED: December 5, 2001FOR: Pretreatment Of ONO Layer For Flash MemoryHONORABLE COMMISSIONER OF PATENTS AND TRADEMARKS
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a paper in the above-identified application. Any necessary extension of time period set for this paper is hereby requested.

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Title: Pretreatment Of ONO Layer For
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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO FINAL REJECTION

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir/Madam:

This is in response to the *final rejection*, dated November 29, 2002, in the above-referenced patent application. Reconsideration and allowance of pending claims 1-16 and 22-27 in view of the following amendments and remarks are respectfully requested.